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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action of October 4, 2007  
 relating to the above-identified application.

Concurrently with this submission, Applicants are paying a Two-month  
 Extension of Time.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.